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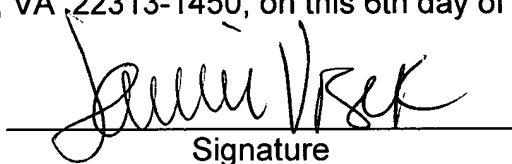
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Receipt of an Advisory Action in this application mailed on September 27, 2005 is acknowledged. Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.